



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6333

LCO No. 1944



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
REP. SREDZINSKI, 112th Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING PRIVILEGED CONVERSATION BETWEEN
FIRST RESPONDERS AND A PEER SUPPORT TEAM.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 899 of the general statutes be amended to (1) treat as
- 2 privileged and confidential any communication shared between a first
- 3 responder and a peer support team member, and (2) prohibit a peer
- 4 support team member from being compelled to testify in a criminal or
- 5 civil proceeding about any communication between a first responder
- 6 and a peer support team member, unless the first responder has
- 7 consented to the disclosure of such communication.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve mental health and peer support services for first responders.